



**MEMORANDUM**  
**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**  
**HUMAN SERVICES**  
County of Placer

TO: Board of Supervisors

DATE: August 27, 2019

FROM: Jeffrey S. Brown, M.P.H., M.S.W., Director of Health and Human Services

SUBJECT: Appointment of Veterans Advisory Council Member

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**ACTIONS REQUESTED**

Approve the appointment of Don Goard, representing the Navy League of the United States to Seat 19 of the Placer County Veterans Advisory Council.

**BACKGROUND**

The Veterans Advisory Council's duty is to make recommendations to your Board that may be pertinent to the work of the Veterans Service Office and may be necessary to further the work of the VSO to coordinate the activities of various veterans' organizations; civic, patriotic, and fraternal bodies in the interest of veteran welfare. The Council's membership shall be composed entirely of veterans and members shall be appointed in the following manner: Each Post, Camp or barracks of each veterans' organization that exists in Placer County, and recognized by the County of Placer, State of California, and which included, but is not limited to, the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and American Veterans (Amvets), shall designate one of their members for appointment to the Council. The term of office of the members of the Council shall be for a period of one year from the date of their appointment or until their successors shall have been designated and appointed as above provided.

It is recommended that Don Goard be appointed by the Board of Supervisors due to his qualifications to represent the Navy League of the United States.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

Members of the Council shall receive thirty dollars (\$30) per meeting attended, with a maximum limit on compensation for eighteen (18) meetings per County fiscal year; actual and necessary traveling and other official expenditures necessitated by their official duties as shall be approved by the Board of Supervisors. These expenditures are included in the Department's FY 2019-2020 Budget.

**ATTACHMENT**

Letter for Appointment



NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES

Navy

Marine Corps

Coast Guard

U.S.-flag Merchant Marines

Placer County Council  
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June 13, 2019

To: Placer County Supervisors

Subject: Appointment to Veterans Advisory Council

The Placer County Council of the Navy League of the United States has selected Navy veteran Don Goard to serve as our representative on the Placer County Veterans Advisory Council.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 530-823-2820 or by email at [bonniebbp@aol.com](mailto:bonniebbp@aol.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bonnie B. Potter".

Bonnie B. Potter, MD  
President